retary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology in the Department of Defense is hereby redesignated as the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics. Any reference in any law, regulation, document, or other record of the United States to the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology shall be treated as referring to the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics."

Pub. L. 103-160, div. A, title IX, §904(a), (f), Nov. 30, 1993, 107 Stat. 1728, 1729, provided that the office of Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition in the Department of Defense was redesignated as Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology, the office of Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition in the Department of Defense was redesignated as Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology, and any reference to the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition or the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition in any provision of law other than this title, or in any rule, regulation, or other paper of the United States was to be treated as referring to the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology or the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology, respectively.

OVERSIGHT BY OFFICE OF UNDER SECRETARY OF DE-FENSE FOR ACQUISITION, TECHNOLOGY, AND LOGISTICS OF EXERCISE OF ACQUISITION AUTHORITY BY COMBAT-ANT COMMANDERS AND HEADS OF DEFENSE AGENCIES

Pub. L. 109–364, div. A, title IX,  $\S$  905, Oct. 17, 2006, 120 Stat. 2353, as amended by Pub. L. 110–181, div. A, title IX,  $\S$  905, Jan. 28, 2008, 122 Stat. 275, provided that:

- "(a) DESIGNATION OF OFFICIAL FOR OVERSIGHT.—The Secretary of Defense shall designate a senior acquisition official within the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics to oversee the exercise of acquisition authority by—
- "(1) any commander of a combatant command who is authorized by section 166b, 167, or 167a of title 10, United States Code, to exercise acquisition authority; and
- "(2) any head of a Defense Agency who is designated by the Secretary of Defense to exercise acquisition authority.

"(b) GUIDANCE.—

- "(1) IN GENERAL.—The senior acquisition official designated under subsection (a) shall develop guidance to ensure that the use of acquisition authority by commanders of combatant commands and the heads of Defense Agencies—
  - "(A) is in compliance with department-wide acquisition policy; and
  - "(B) is coordinated with acquisition programs of the military departments.
- "(2) URGENT REQUIREMENTS.—Guidance developed under paragraph (1) shall take into account the need to fulfill the urgent requirements of the commanders of combatant commands and the heads of Defense Agencies and to ensure that those requirements are addressed expeditiously.
- "(c) Consultation.—The senior acquisition official designated under subsection (a) shall on a regular basis consult on matters related to requirements and acquisition with the commanders of combatant commands and the heads of Defense Agencies referred to in that subsection.
- "(d) DEADLINE FOR DESIGNATION.—The Secretary of Defense shall make the designation required by subsection (a) not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act [Oct. 17, 2006]."

## IMPROVEMENT IN DEFENSE RESEARCH AND PROCUREMENT LIAISON WITH ISRAEL

Section 1006 of Pub. L. 100–456, as amended by Pub. L. 103–160, div. A, title IX,  $\S904(f)$ , Nov. 30, 1993, 107 Stat. 1729; Pub. L. 106–65, div. A, title IX,  $\S911(a)(1)$ , Oct. 5, 1999, 113 Stat. 717, provided that: "The Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Under Secretary of Defense,

fense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics, shall designate for duty in Israel an individual or individuals to serve as the primary liaison between the procurement and research and development activities of the United States Armed Forces and those of the State of Israel."

# [§ 133a. Repealed. Pub. L. 111–383, div. A, title IX, § 901(b)(1), Jan. 7, 2011, 124 Stat. 4317]

Section, added Pub. L. 99-500, \$101(c) [title X, \$902(a)(1)], Oct. 18, 1986, 100 Stat. 1783-82, 1783-131, and Pub. L. 99-591, §101(c) [title X, §902(a)(1)], Oct. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 3341-82, 3341-131; Pub. L. 99-661, div. A, title IX, formerly title IV, §902(a)(1), Nov. 14, 1986, 100 Stat. 3911, renumbered title IX, Pub. L. 100-26, §3(5), Apr. 21, 1987, 101 Stat. 273; amended Pub. L. 103-160, div. A, title IX, §904(c), Nov. 30, 1993, 107 Stat. 1728; Pub. L. 103-337, div. A, title X, §1070(a)(2), Oct. 5, 1994, 108 Stat. 2855; Pub. L. 104–106, div. A, title IX, §903(c)(1), Feb. 10, 1996, 110 Stat. 402; Pub. L. 104-201, div. A, title IX, §901, Sept. 23, 1996, 110 Stat. 2617; Pub. L. 106–65, div. A, title IX, 911(c), Oct. 5, 1999, 113 Stat. 718; Pub. L. 107-107, div. A, title X, §1048(b)(1), Dec. 28, 2001, 115 Stat. 1225; Pub. L. 111-84, div. A, title IX, §906(c)(1)(A), (2)(A), Oct. 28, 2009, 123 Stat. 2427, established the position of Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics.

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 133a was renumbered section 117 of this title.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Repeal effective Jan. 1, 2011, see section 901(p) of Pub. L. 111-383, set out as an Effective Date of 2011 Amendment note under section 131 of this title.

#### [§ 133b. Renumbered § 138a]

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 133b was renumbered section 118 of this title.

### § 134. Under Secretary of Defense for Policy

- (a) There is an Under Secretary of Defense for Policy, appointed from civilian life by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. A person may not be appointed as Under Secretary within seven years after relief from active duty as a commissioned officer of a regular component of an armed force.
- (b)(1) The Under Secretary shall perform such duties and exercise such powers as the Secretary of Defense may prescribe.
- (2) The Under Secretary shall assist the Secretary of Defense—
- (A) in preparing written policy guidance for the preparation and review of contingency plans; and
  - (B) in reviewing such plans.
- (3) Subject to the authority, direction, and control of the Secretary of Defense, the Under Secretary shall have responsibility for supervising and directing activities of the Department of Defense relating to export controls.
- (4) Subject to the authority, direction, and control of the Secretary of Defense, the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy shall have overall direction and supervision for policy, program planning and execution, and allocation and use of resources for the activities of the Department of Defense for combating terrorism.
- (c) The Under Secretary takes precedence in the Department of Defense after the Secretary

of Defense, the Deputy Secretary of Defense, the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics, and the Secretaries of the military departments.

(Added Pub. L. 99–433, title I,  $\S105(1)$ , Oct. 1, 1986, 100 Stat. 997; amended Pub. L. 99–500,  $\S101(c)$  [title X,  $\S903(a)$ ], Oct. 18, 1986, 100 Stat. 1783–82, 1783–132, and Pub. L. 99–591,  $\S101(c)$  [title X,  $\S903(a)$ ], Oct. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 3341–82, 3341–132; Pub. L. 99–661, div. A, title IX, formerly title IV,  $\S903(a)$ , Nov. 14, 1986, 100 Stat. 3911, renumbered title IX, Pub. L. 100–26,  $\S3(5)$ , Apr. 21, 1987, 101 Stat. 273; Pub. L. 103–160, div. A, title IX,  $\S904(d)(1)$ , Nov. 30, 1993, 107 Stat. 1728; Pub. L. 105–261, div. A, title XV,  $\S1521(a)$ , Oct. 17, 1998, 112 Stat. 2178; Pub. L. 106–65, div. A, title IX,  $\S911(d)(1)$ , Oct. 5, 1999, 113 Stat. 719; Pub. L. 107–314, div. A, title IX,  $\S902(b)$ , Dec. 2, 2002, 116 Stat. 2620; Pub. L. 110–181, div. A, title IX,  $\S903(c)$ , Jan. 28, 2008, 122 Stat. 273.)

#### CODIFICATION

Pub. L. 99-591 is a corrected version of Pub. L. 99-500.

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions of this section were contained in section 135 of this title prior to amendment by Pub. L. 99-433. A prior section 134 was renumbered section 132 of this title

#### AMENDMENTS

2008—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 110–181 substituted "seven" for "10"

2002—Subsec. (b)(4). Pub. L. 107-314 added par. (4).

1999—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 106-65 substituted "Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics" for "Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology".

1998—Subsec. (b)(3). Pub. L. 105–261 added par. (3).

1993—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 103-160 substituted "Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology" for "Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition".

1986—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 99-500, Pub. L. 99-591, and Pub. L. 99-661 amended subsec. (c) identically, inserting "the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,".

IMPLEMENTATION OF AMENDMENTS BY PUB. L. 105-261

Pub. L. 105–261, div. A, title XV, 1521(c), (d), Oct. 17, 1998, 112 Stat. 2179, provided that:

"(c) TIME FOR IMPLEMENTATION.—The Secretary of Defense shall complete the actions necessary to implement the amendment made by subsection (a) [amending this section] and to establish the office of Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Technology Security Policy in accordance with [former] section 134b of title 10, United States Code, as added by subsection (b), not later than 60 days after the date of the enactment of this Act [Oct. 17, 1998].

"(d) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the Committee on Armed Services of the Senate and the Committee on National Security of the House of Representatives [now Committee on Armed Services of the House of Representatives] a report on the plans of the Secretary for implementing the amendments made by subsections (a) and (b) [enacting former section 134b of this title and amending this section]. The report shall include the following:

"(1) A description of any organizational changes that are to be made within the Department of Defense to implement those amendments.

"(2) A description of the role of the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff in the export control activities of the Department of Defense after those subsections are implemented, together with a discussion of how that role compares to the Chairman's role in those activities before the implementation of those subsections."

## [§ 134a. Repealed. Pub. L. 111-383, div. A, title IX, § 901(b)(1), Jan. 7, 2011, 124 Stat. 4317]

Section, added Pub. L. 102–190, div. A, title IX,  $\S901(a)(1)$ , Dec. 5, 1991, 105 Stat. 1450; amended Pub. L. 104–106, div. A, title IX,  $\S903(c)(2)$ , Feb. 10, 1996, 110 Stat. 402; Pub. L. 104–201, div. A, title IX,  $\S901$ , Sept. 23, 1996, 110 Stat. 2617; Pub. L. 111–84, div. A, title IX,  $\S906(c)(1)(B)$ , (2)(B), Oct. 28, 2009, 123 Stat. 2427, established the position of Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 134a was renumbered section 133 of this title.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL

Repeal effective Jan. 1, 2011, see section 901(p) of Pub. L. 111-383, set out as an Effective Date of 2011 Amendment note under section 131 of this title.

# [§ 134b. Repealed. Pub. L. 111-84, div. A, title IX, § 905(a)(1), Oct. 28, 2009, 123 Stat. 2425]

Section, added Pub. L. 105-261, div. A, title XV, §1521(b)(1), Oct. 17, 1998, 112 Stat. 2178, related to the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Technology Security Policy.

### § 135. Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller)

- (a) There is an Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller), appointed from civilian life by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate.
- (b) The Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller) is the agency Chief Financial Officer of the Department of Defense for the purposes of chapter 9 of title 31. The Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller) shall perform such additional duties and exercise such powers as the Secretary of Defense may prescribe.
- (c) The Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller) shall advise and assist the Secretary of Defense—
  - (1) in performing such budgetary and fiscal functions and duties, and in exercising such budgetary and fiscal powers, as are needed to carry out the powers of the Secretary:
  - (2) in supervising and directing the preparation of budget estimates of the Department of Defense:
  - (3) in establishing and supervising the execution of principles, policies, and procedures to be followed in connection with organizational and administrative matters relating to—
    - (A) the preparation and execution of budgets;
    - (B) fiscal, cost, operating, and capital property accounting; and
    - (C) progress and statistical reporting;
  - (4) in establishing and supervising the execution of policies and procedures relating to the expenditure and collection of funds administered by the Department of Defense; and
  - (5) in establishing uniform terminologies, classifications, and procedures concerning matters covered by paragraphs (1) through (4).
- (d) The Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller) takes precedence in the Department of Defense after the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.